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FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
WESTERN DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JOEL EDWARD SCOTT,

Defendant.

CASE NO.: 2:05cr20089

CTA

MOTION GRANTED

Jon P. McCalla
JON PHIPPS McALLA
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

June 24, 2005

MOTION TO DETERMINE COMPETENCY OF DEFENDANT
PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. § 4241

COMES NOW the Defendant, Joel Edward Scott, by and through court appointed counsel of record, Eugene A. Laurenzi, Esq., and respectfully moves this Court for a hearing to determine the competency of the Defendant and in support would show the following:

1) Counsel believes that there is reasonable cause to believe that the Defendant has been suffering and may be presently suffering from a mental disease or defect rendering him mental incompetent to stand trial to the extent that he is unable to understand the nature and consequence of the proceeding against him and to assist properly in his defense.

2) Your Movant would further show that Mr. Scott was being treated at Tennessee State Western State Mental Institute in Boliver, Tennessee.

WHEREFORE PREMISES CONSIDERED, your Movant prays:

1) That the Court order a psychiatric or psychological examination be conducted pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 4241(b).

2) When the examination has been completed that the Court set a hearing to

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determine the Defendant's mental competency to stand trial.

Respectfully submitted,

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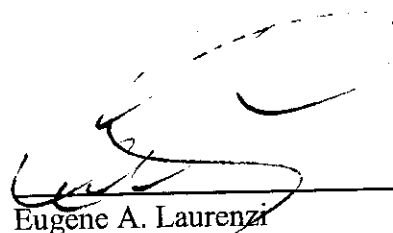
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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been mailed, U.S.
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